



## Don "Chico" Jones

October 5, 1950 - February 5, 2021

Don E. "Chico" Jones, passed away February 5, 2021. He was born October 5, 1950 in Trenton, New Jersey to the late Albert and Mary (Law) Jones.

Chico was multi talented and had a long history of satellite TV installation and came to Sarasota in 2004 from Lee County. Prior to that he came from Texas. He was into motorcycles, hot rods, boating and fishing. Everything he did was over the top. Donald had a zest for life and if you met him then you had a new friend.

Left to cherish his memory are his wife of 19 years, Teri; son, Jesse James Jones and family; sister, Patricia Dixon and her husband Harry; and brothers, Carl Jones and his wife Lisa; Richard Jones and his wife Andrea; nephews, Justin Dixon, Travis, Trevor and Casey Jones; nieces, Natalie, Melissa, Aberlee and Krista Jones.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his brother Albert.

Get on your bikes and ride!!!! Saturday, March 20, 2021 to Celebrate the Life of Chico!! Revving up at Teri's house for a slow ride to Indian Mound Park Winson Avenue, Englewood, Florida. They have the pavilion from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm but the nature trails till.....

Memories and condolences may be left online at [www.MFHcares.com](http://www.MFHcares.com).

# Comments

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“ Chico was a friend to all , especially the ladies . He was the self-proclaimed "Barstool Dear Abby " - which is how we met ... he was the barrister for the " Matlacha Hookers" , a group of fisherman's widows that help raise funds for schools . He always made sure you got there and back safely - whether by boat , golf cart , motorcycle , or converted school bus . He is truly missed .

Terilee Jones - March 12 at 08:14 PM

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Terilee Jones - February 12 at 08:56 AM

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“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Don "Chico" Jones.



February 10 at 07:47 PM

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“ what a great guy we worked together for years ask him to do anything and if it was crazy he would figure out to do it just a funny funny guy all the sayings he had half the time didnt know what the hack he was saying or mean. rest well my brother we truly miss you god bless love you !!!!!!!!!!!

Julio Bagiardi - February 10 at 09:39 AM

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**Terilee Jones** - February 09 at 06:32 AM



“ A celebration of Chico's life will be announced in a couple of months

**Terilee** - February 09 at 07:32 PM



“ Terri

Jim and I are sorry for your loss. Chico was a great guys. May you and the family find peace knowing Chico is no longer in pain and at peace.

I'm here if you need me love too all

**Sherry Gephart** - February 10 at 08:32 AM



“ A celebration of Chico's Life

Will be Saturday March 20th

At Indian Mound Park Englewood Fl.

We have the pavilion 10 am til 2 pm . there's a little spit of Lemon Bay there and lots of shade trees and a little nature walk .

It's perfect !

**Terilee** - February 12 at 07:06 PM

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“ The minute we met I was his Huckleberry ...

Chico was a unique man that could tackle anything ( Chico style ) .He could put his finishing touches on it , and it always looked better , classier . He was so very multi talented and will never be replaced .

**Terilee Jones** - February 09 at 06:29 AM



“ Yes Terri Chico was a very special man, who could tackle anything!! He will be missed very much! Love you 🤔🤔

**beverly lepre** - February 09 at 08:16 AM



“ Mr. Chico was very special, there was nothing he couldn't do even if he was not well. He wanted to please everyone! He will be greatly missed!!

**beverly lepre** - February 09 at 08:18 AM



“ Although I never met Chico in person I felt I knew him thru Teri. She spoke of him often & she was so happy he must have been a wonderful person. Chico RIP & You will be missed.

**Kathy Battaglia** - February 09 at 09:46 AM



“ I didn't get to meet my uncle until I was grown. It was like I had known him my whole life. He was so much like the rest of the family. You could tell he was very comfortable with who he was and he wanted you to be comfortable too. He made me laugh and I'll cherish the memory of laughing with him about his “redneck winter cooler” also known as a snow bank. Rest In Peace, Uncle Donald. Hope you're fishing and relaxing up there.

**Melissa** - February 09 at 11:17 AM



“ Our deepest sympathy Terilee. Rest In Peace Chico.

**Rich Jones** - February 09 at 08:08 PM



“ Chico will be missed because he made this world a better place if you knew him. I only knew him through Teri,. I know she loved him with her entire being. Their love will never die. I know his spirit will live on and Teri will always have him in her heart. May you RIP Chico

**Catherine Schockweiler** - February 09 at 08:53 PM



“ ...Because of the Joy that we shared , I find it a little easier to keep on keeping on ...

My childhood friend said it best:

Keep smiling so he'll recognize you !

That man will forever flow through my veins , though I'm heartbroken , I know he's no longer suffering

**Terilee** - February 10 at 09:30 AM



“ Chico was a remarkable man and perfect neighbor. He was also a humble man, always offering to help out. He was extremely knowledgeable about fixing things. My husband really enjoyed talking with Chico and loved his humor. Rest In Peace my friend!

**Susan Chavez** - February 11 at 02:27 PM